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SUBJ: SCANDINAVIA CANDIDATE FOR VICE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL OCEANGRAPHIC COMMISSION (IOC)

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- 1. WE HAVE NOW RECEIVED MFA REPLY TO DEMARCHE REQUESTED REFTEL. BASED ON OUR PRESENTATION, MFA IN TURN CONVEYED U.S. PROPOSAL TO SUPPORT MR. OLE OSTVEDT FOR SECOND TWO-YEAR TERM AS VICE CHAIRMAN OF IOC TO NORWEGIAN OCEANOGRAPHIC COMMITTEE, WHICH IS RESPONSIBLE OF IOC AFFAIRS HERE. WORKING GROUP OF THIS COMMITTEE HAS DECIDED IN FAVOR OF OSTVEDT'S CANDIDACY FOR A SECOND TERM.
- 2. MFA OFFICIAL TOLD US THAT OTHER NORDICS MUST STILL ACCEPT THIS ARRANGEMENT, BUT HE ANTICIPATES THEY WILL GO ALONG. OSTVEDT HIMSELF WAS ALSO CONTACTED BY NORWEGIANS, AND HE INDICATED WILLINGNESS TO SERVE A SECOND TERM.

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